

# **Position Description**

## **Zamboni Driver/Skate Guard**

**General:** The Zamboni Driver/ Skate Guard is responsible for maintaining the ice on three skating surfaces in Jorgensen Park, along with general maintenance of the skating facilities and monitoring of the use and behavior at the skating complex.

### **Examples of Duties:**

- This position requires performing the tasks of a Zamboni driver and skate guard.
- Zam Driver is required to flood the ice rink prior to the beginning of the season. Those flooding shifts are from 12:00 am to 8:00 am.
- Resurfacing ice is the number one priority of this position.
- Prior to attaining a safe thickness of ice, resurfacing is accomplished by shoveling and hot mopping the ice rinks.
- Zam driver is responsible for enforcing the rink schedules as assigned by the Park and Rec Department and Facility Manager.
- Zam driver is responsible for keeping rental skates sharpened Full time Park personnel will sharpen customer skates.
- Monitoring behavior in and around the locker rooms and warming house is the responsibility of the Zam driver.
- Police all trash at the start and conclusion of each shift and cleaning of locker rooms on a daily basis.

**Organizational Relationship:** Reports to the Facility Manager, Park and Rec Foreman, Park Maintenance Assistants and the Park and Rec Director

### **Required Skills:**

- Position requires spending extended periods of time out doors in an extremely cold environment.
- Must possess a valid Colorado Drivers License and have a basic level of mechanical aptitude.
- Must be customer service oriented and possess the ability to work with the public in a positive manner.
- Must be physically able to perform the essential job functions including the ability to lift a minimum of 70 lbs, climb a ladder and shovel snow.

### **Work schedule**

- Position begins the start of November and ends mid March and is strictly weather dependent.
- All workers must be available over Thanksgiving & Christmas Break. Do not apply if you plan on leaving for Thanksgiving or

- Christmas break,
- Monday thru Friday 12:00pm to 12:00am
  - Sat and Sun: Early shift 7:00 am to 2:00 pm Late shift: 2:00 pm to 12:00 pm.
  - Three employees are hired to cover these shifts. Average hours worked per week are between 20 and 30.

**Wage**

- This is a temporary position that is paid **\$10.00 – 11.00/hour plus a 50 cent per hour bonus** upon successful completion of contract paid 2X per month.

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